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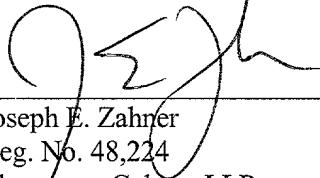
Enclosed please find:

1. Response to Notice to File Correction Application Papers;
2. Notice to File Corrected Application Papers; and
3. Substitute Drawings.

It is believed that no fee is required. However, if this is incorrect and a fee is required, you are hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 18-1829. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Please file said Substitute Drawings.

Respectfully submitted,



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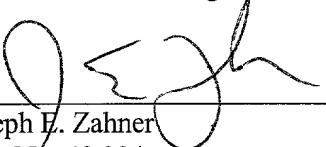


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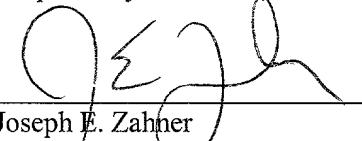
This paper is filed in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated November 5, 2001 (copy enclosed herewith).

Remarks

This submission provides enclosed 11 pages of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84

Should any questions arise, or if applicants' attorney can facilitate examination of this application, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned attorney be contacted so that any remaining issues can be resolved.

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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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